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Sir:

The following amendments and remarks are filed in response to the Examiner's remarks in the Final Office Action mailed February 3, 2006, the three-month shortened statutory period for response to which expires on May 3, 2006.

Amendments to the Claims are found on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.